Date Mailed December 20, 2001

## BEFORE THE

## PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF WISCONSIN

Application for Approval of Project Development Services Agreement Between Wisconsin Electric Power Company and Wisconsin Energy Corporation

6630-AE-114

## NOTICE OF PROCEEDING AND INVESTIGATION AND ASSESSMENT OF COSTS

**THIS IS A PROCEEDING** to consider the proposed Project Development and Services Agreement (PDSA) between Wisconsin Electric Power Company (WEPCO) and Wisconsin Energy Corporation (WEC).

Under the proposed agreement WEPCO will reimburse WEC for Pre-CPCN expenses incurred by or on behalf of WEC and its subsidiaries in connection with the development of generation facilities known as "Power the Future" (PTF), to the extent that these costs are not recovered by WEC or its nonutility affiliate through a leased generation agreement under Wis. Stat. § 196.52(9). Amounts to be reimbursed include internal labor, third party costs, and the carrying costs on major equipment.

**NOTICE IS GIVEN** that the Commission considers it necessary, in order to carry out its duties, to investigate all books, accounts, practices, and activities of the applicant. The expenses incurred or to be incurred by the Commission which are reasonably attributable to such an investigation will be assessed against and collected from the applicant in accordance with the provisions of Wis. Stat. § 196.84 and Wis. Admin. Code ch. PSC 6.03.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Described in docket 6630-DR-104 order issued on October 16, 2001.

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Questions regarding this matter may be directed to docket coordinator (608) 267-1200.	Diane Braun at
Dated at Madison, Wisconsin,	
By the Commission:	
Lynda L. Dorr Secretary to the Commission	